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USED IN GAME APPARATUS AND

STORAGE MEDIUM

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated March 1, 2005, please find attached the Amendments to the Claims section and the signature page of the May 27, 2004 Amendment filed with the revised claim identifiers for claims 3-5, 24-26, 30-32, 34-36, 41-43 and 50.

The Notice has alleged that the Amendment filed May 27, 2004 did not include a signature page. In fact, as evidenced by the enclosure, page 32 of the Amendment filed May 27, 2004 is the signature page.

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In view of the above, each of the presently pending claims in this application is believed to be in immediate condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue.

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